

BPA Energy Efficiency Weekly Announcement, July 21, 2016

Events

Monthly Momentum Savings call -

Please join us for our monthly Momentum Savings call on Wednesday, July 27th from 9:00 A.M- 10:30 A.M. where we will give an update on current activities and answer your questions. All calls are planned for the final Wednesday of the month from 9:00 A.M.- 10:30 A.M....[More](#)

Reminders

Additional lighting calculator support for Microsoft 365, MS Office Suite 2016 users -

Thanks to utility feedback, BPA is aware of lighting calculator compatibility issues with Microsoft 365 and MS Office Suite 2016. Users on Microsoft 365 or MS Office Suite 2016 are experiencing run-time errors which effectively freeze the Excel file and prohibit users from entering information into the lighting calculator. At this point in time, BPA has no immediate solution for this issue. However, in the interim, the BPA Lighting Team has authorized the Lighting Specialists from the NW Trade Ally Network (NWTAN) to support utilities and trade allies using whatever means necessary to ensure lighting projects continue as planned.

If you are experiencing lighting calculator issues due to recent software upgrades, please reach out to your Energy Efficiency Representative and the BPA lighting team, so we can collect information on the nature of the issue and direct resources to assist your project efforts as swiftly as possible.

BPA Evaluation Project Updates -

Each quarter, we want to provide stakeholders with an update of the status of our evaluation projects. This [link](#) provides insight into our recent and current projects, including: 2016 Unit Energy Savings impact evaluation, Simple Steps process evaluation and the Industrial Energy Management evaluation.

Evaluation provides valuable insight that allows energy efficiency programs the ability to



achieve continuous improvement and efficient, cost-effective implementation. To learn more about evaluation, please visit www.bpa.gov/goto/evaluation. Please contact Lauren Gage at lsmgage@bpa.gov with any questions.